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Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R. 1.53 is the patent application of:

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For: **CLIP DEVICE**

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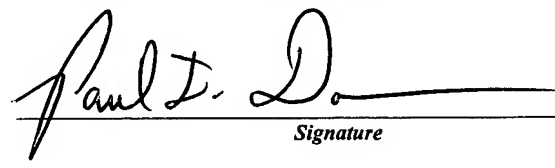
- ☒ Certificate of Mailing with Express Mail Mailing Label No. **ET485282892US**
- ☒ **7 Informal** sheets of drawings.
- ☐ A certified copy of a _____ application.
- ☒ Declaration ☒ Signed. ☐ Unsigned.
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- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
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